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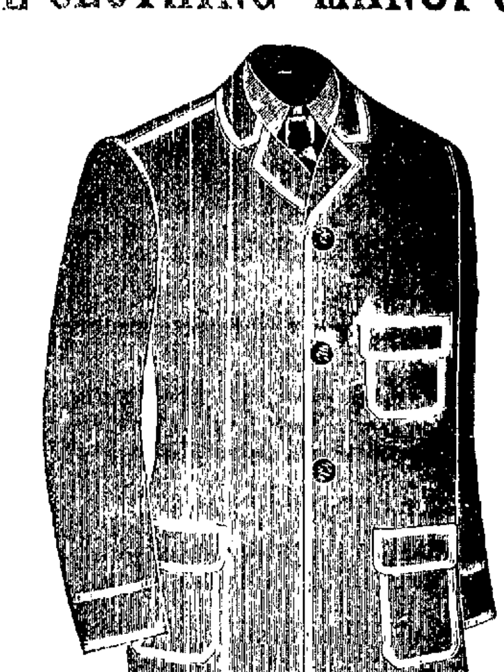

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THE SAYWARD CASE.

Interest in the Great Argument Unabated.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT MADE.

An Agreement Arrived at as to the Terms of Arbitration in the Behring Sea Question — The Arguments Closed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—There was no cessation of interest in the continuation of the argument in the Behring sea case yesterday, before the supreme court of the United States. When the court was called to order at noon, every seat both inside and outside the bar was occupied by interested persons, most of whom remained through the day. Ex-Secretary Bayard sat within the bar and followed the arguments quite as closely as he did Monday.

Solicitor-General Taft took up the argument for the United States at the point where he left off Monday. He claimed that jurisdiction over the waters accompanying the grant of Alaska to this country by Russia and all waters of Alaska over which the emperor of Russia had jurisdiction were conveyed by the grant as the waters of Alaska, and included Behring sea. The question at issue being a political one, the executive's decision was conclusive unless congress took action, and if any claim were to be made concerning territorial soverignty, the president was invested with the power to make it and his decision would be the correct one. How could the president decide, asked Mr. Taft, what were the waters of Behring sea, if he could not carry out the seizure act? It would be an edifying spectacle, if an armed conflict had arisen out of the controversy, for the president to be powerless to decide what action should be taken only after the case had been decided by a court of admiralty or by the federal supreme court.

Mr. Taft said he thought the statement of the opposing counsel as to what was the doctrine of the United States *in the matter*, arose from confusion in their minds as to what the doctrine of this government really was. The president exercised the right to decide political questions, and from his decision there was no appeal. It was true the president could exercise almost sovereign power, but there was no danger of his exceeding the bounds of right in doing so, and Mr. Taft quoted an opinion of Chief Justice Taney in support of this. Assistant Secretary French, in answer to a correspondent of the treasury department, had many years ago outlined the present claim of the United States as to the jurisdiction of this country over Behring sea, and Secretary Manning had later on indorsed Mr. French's decision in the matter as the position of the department. The executive had been guided by these decisions, and in accordance with them had exercised jurisdiction over that part of Behring sea where the Sayward seizure occurred. Mr. Blaine had asserted that the position of this government concerning its jurisdiction over Behring sea was impregnable. The counsel for the British government, said Mr. Taft, had said that the United States had made no direct claim to jurisdiction over Behring sea. In this they differed from their client, Lord Salisbury, who construed the jurisdiction of the United States just as this government did.

Referring to Secretary Bayard's release of British vessels seized for illegal sealing in Behring sea in 1886, Mr. Taft contended that this was done without waiving the right of seizure. The United States, he said, had been asked to submit the matter to arbitration and had agreed to the proposition, and now the other side asked for an opinion in advance of this arbitration. Perhaps arbitration had not been agreed on, but at least the correspondence on the matter was leading up to arbitration.

"Not only that" interjected Attorney-General Miller, "but it has been agreed on in the correspondence."

This announcement by the attorney general, important as it was, did not create that amount of visible interest that it would have created if made outside the supreme court chamber. Very few present seemed to recognize the significance of the statement, and Mr. Taft went on with his argument as if nothing had happened.

The action of congress in passing the seizure act was, he said, a confirmation of the executive's position on the question, and, in conclusion, he stated that the people of this country were confronted with the proposition that the United States, after spending a large amount to protect the sealing industry, must now look on without power to lift a hand to protect it. He closed by *quoting from* Justice Story an opinion that the supreme court could not entertain political questions.

Attorney-General Miller followed Mr. Taft in continuation of the argument for the United States. He began by paying a high tribute to the solicitor-general whom, he said, had elucidated the points in the case of the United States. What he would say was simply in the nature of underscoring and emphasizing what Mr. Taft had said. The other side in its brief insisted, said the attorney general, on many propositions that would not bear examination in the light of the law.

He thought the jurisdiction of the supreme court had been settled; the opposition thought otherwise. The Alaska court, he said, was not an inferior court; authorities proved it was a superior court, and its findings were just as conclusive on the supreme court as on any body else. The citations of decisions of British courts by the other side were of mayors' courts and other inferior tribunals, and the court of king's bench had decided that they were not superior courts. Mr. Miller, after defining the difference between the jurisdictions of superior and inferior courts, said the decision of the Alaska court could not be attacked unless a statement of want of jurisdiction appeared on its face, and he quoted Chief Justice Marshall in support of this contention.

The attorney general made an *ironical* allusion to the foreign policy of Great Britain, adding that the British government had not always shown that touching regard for international dealings.

The question of boundaries, he said, was not a question for the courts, because the courts did not make boundaries. They simply investigated to and found what the political department had established. Courts could not question the acts of either of the political branches of the government.

In conclusion, the attorney-general said an agreement had been arrived at as to the terms of arbitration in the Behring sea question, and now the other side asked that the supreme court should decide the question, and not only decide it, but decide it against the United States.

Jos. H. Choate of New York city, followed Mr. Miller. He made the closing argument for the British government. Mr. Choate's argument was devoted, as he stated in the beginning, to the exact questions at issue in the case. He did not understand, he said, that the question of the court getting at the merits of the case was at all disputed. The 3-mile limit law, he said, had never been disputed until now. He outlined the points of international law and contended that according to it the Sayward when seized, 59 miles from land, was 56 miles outside of all possible jurisdiction of the United States. It was the duty and power of the supreme court to search the proceedings of the Alaska district court to find what justification it had in finding that the Sayward had taken seals illegally.

Continuing, he said that the position of the United States concerning *sovereignty over Behring sea did not hold.* What warrant was there for the assumption of such executive power? Why would it not be proper, taking the contention of the United States as to the territorial jurisdiction as correct, for the president to extend the territorial jurisdiction of this country a hundred miles out to sea; even more, extend it from ocean to ocean. The side he represented claimed that the United States had not even made the claim of national sovereignty brought forward. Down to the time Mr. Bayard ceased to be secretary of state there had been no unequivocal policy on this question—no such contention as was brought forward by the counsel for the United States. The state department had over and over *again openly* disavowed the ground on which the contention was made: that from the 193d parallel east to the *American shore was mare clausum.*

With the conclusion of Mr. Choate's argument the case was closed and the court adjourned.

Report of the Director of the Mint.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Edward O. Leech, the director of the mint, has submitted to the secretary of the treasury a report of the operations of the mints and assay offices for the last fiscal year. The value of the gold deposited at the mints and assay offices during the fiscal year, 1891, was $59,695,678, against $49,228,823 in the preceding year, an increase of $10,396,854. The deposits and purchases of silver aggregated 71,809,663 standard ounces of the coining value of $83,630,154, against $43,507,135 in the preceding year, an increase of $40,065,019.

The coinage executed at the mints was the largest in the history of the mint in this country, aggregating 119,547,887 pieces, valued as follows: Gold, $24,172,202; silver, dollars, $36,232,802; subsidiary silver, $2,300,218; minor coins, $1,166,036. Total, $63,611,158. The seigniorage coinage of silver dollars was $6,221,333, and on subsidiary silver coinage, $92,434, a total of $6,313,767. The total coinage of silver dollars under the act of 1878 from March 1, 1878, to the close of such coinage, has been $378,166,794. The coinage of silver dollars under the act of July 14, 1890, to November 1, 1891, has been $31,308,505, a total coinage of silver dollars since 1878, of $409,475,368. The net seigniorage of silver during the thirteen years ended June 30, 1891, has aggregated $71,952,309.

The Behring Sea Controversy to be Submitted to Arbitration.

WASHINGTON, Nov 11.—The important *announcement made* in the supreme court of the United States yesterday by Attorney-General Miller during the argument in the Sayward or Behring sea case that the United States and Great Britain had agreed to submit the Behring sea controversy to arbitration, was the first intimation that the correspondence on the subject that has been carried on for some time past between the two countries, had at last resulted in a satisfactory agreement. Both sides had agreed to submit the matter to arbitration if an agreement could be reached as to what points should be laid before the arbitrators, but there did not seem to be much prospect of an unanimity of opinion on this subject.

Attorney-General Miller refused to talk about his revelation further than to say that an agreement as to the questions to be submitted for arbitration had been reached, and only awaited the sanction of the senate before being placed before the persons that will be selected by Great Britain and the United States to settle the matter.

Horrible Suicide of a Hospital Patient.

ST. PETER, Minn., Nov. 11.—A patient at the hospital from Minneapolis named Mrs. Maloney, deliberately committed suicide by setting herself on fire. She got up on a chair, threw her apron over the gas jet and thus set herself on fire and was badly burned before she was rescued. She was in feeble health and died Monday morning at 3 o'clock.

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Threatening Attitude of the Briceville Miners.

THE STATE AUTHORITIES DEFIED.

The Governor, Afraid to Meet Them with the Militia, Will Call on the War Department for Regular Troops.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 11.—Matters between the rebellious miners and the state of Tennessee are almost at a standstill, the governor asserting that he will rebuild the stockades and the miners daring him to do it. Gov. Buchanan realizes the responsibility, and is much alarmed at the aspect affairs have taken. He has been in communication with the secretary of war for some days past, and has asked aid of the United States if the worst comes. The general opinion in the south is that a serious fight cannot be averted.

Gov. Buchanan is said to fear his handful of troops will not be able to withstand the 6,000 miners of East Tennessee, who would be re-inforced by 20,000 others from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Alabama and Virginia, and would probably wipe out the available militia at his command and then override the whole state in reckless outlawry.

IS FREE SPEECH DEAD?

Ben Butterworth's Head Demanded for Words Used in a Club Speech.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—Ben Butterworth is in hot water and may lose his position as secretary and solicitor general of the World's fair. In a speech delivered at the Standard club last Thursday night, he is reported to have said: "Italy is suffering from over-taxation. What the church leaves the army takes. If I owned Italy, I'd hold an auction and invite all America, and I'd sell 10,000 crucifixes and 10,000 madonnas and a 1,000 churches and I'd establish schools in their stead. The power of the weak old man—I speak it as reverently as I can—is waning."

By the "weak old man" the Catholics say that Mr. Butterworth meant the pope, while the crucifixes and Madonnas that he proposed to sell are the souvenirs given the pope on each birthday by the powers of Europe. It is owing to this allusion that the Catholics are indignant and they may demand Mr. Butterworth's resignation from the World's fair officials.

Secretary Butterworth claims that he was misreported, and denies that he said anything in his speech that could cause offense to Catholics or anybody else.

Sullivan Challenges Slavin.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Charley Johnson, of Brooklyn, champion John L. Sullivan's friend and backer, has received a letter from the champion under date of November 2, authorizing him to match John L. Sullivan with Francis Patrick Slavin, of Australia, for the largest offered purse, and a side bet of the greatest amount the other side will put up. John L. stipulates that the fight shall come off in the latter part of September or the middle of October, 1892.

Mr. Johnson, on receipt of the letter, yesterday, immediately called at the office of the New York Herald and issued the following challenge to Slavin:

On behalf of John L. Sullivan, who has empowered me to arrange a match with Frank Slavin for the championship of the world and as much money as the Australian can possibly raise, I challenge the said Mr. Slavin to meet the champion in a fair stand-up fight, the battle to take place in America before some responsible club which will offer the largest purse, the match to take place in the latter part of September or early part of October next under the recognized rules. To show my earnestness, I hereby deposit in the New York Herald $2,500, to remain up until January 1, 1892.

[Signed.] CHARLES JOHNSON.

Suit for Heavy Damages.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 11.—Wm Fitzgerald, a resident of Newport, has brought suit against his brother, Rev. John Fitzgerald, whose present home is at Norfolk, Va., and the damages claimed are $100,000. John Fitzgerald was the inventor of a plaster used for houses, but he was without means to put his patent on the market, and the petition alleges that in consideration of $12,000 advanced by Wm. Fitzgerald he was to have a half interest.

James and John Robinson, the circus men, loaned the above amount to Wm. Fitzgerald for a certain interest they were to have in the patent. This was in 1888. These parties allege that the patent plaster has proved a great success; that half a dozen factories in as many cities are engaged in manufacturing the stuff, but they never have received any benefit. The First national bank at Newport is made a party to the suit, and $25,000, supposed to be deposited in this bank by the company, was attached.

Attempted Assassination.

VERSAILLES, Ky., Nov. 11.—An attempt was made to assassinate Dr. W. C. Parker, of this place, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. His bed formerly rested against a door which opened out on an alley, and only a few days ago he made a change in the arrangement of the room and fortunately though unwillingly saved his own life. A bomb shell was placed against the door. The building was almost destroyed. Dr. Parker's injuries were slight. The other occupants of the building were thrown from their beds. The town is wild with excitement over the attempted assassination.

The Financial Situation Improving.

BERLIN, Nov. 10.—The financial situation to-day is less agitated and no further failures are reported. It is learned that just after the doors of Hirschfeld & Wolff's house were closed a clerk intended to deposit 500 marks. This sum would have tided the bank over its difficulties.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The general assembly Knights of Labor convened in Toledo, O., yesterday.

—The seventh murder in San Francisco, since the first of this month occurred yesterday.

—Stuart Robson, the actor, was married at the City hall, in New York, yesterday, to May Waldron, the actress.

—The San Francisco Steamship Co. has filed a petition in insolvency. Liabilities, $64,000; assets, $20,000.

—The cotton returns of the department of agriculture for November are not favorable for a high rate of yield.

—Minister Egan is using the navy department cipher for transmitting his dispatches to the state department.

—The property of the Texas Siftings Publishing Co. has been attached for allowing a note for $1,007 to go to protest.

—A Pernambuco dispatch says the province of Pernambuco has declared its independence, and Bahia is also expected to secede.

—W. J. Hancock, superintendent of the Atlantic division of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, died in New York early yesterday morning.

—Dr. Isaac L. Nicholson, fifth bishop of the diocese of Milwaukee, was formally enthroned at All Saints' cathedral, Milwaukee, yesterday.

—The stock of the clothing firm of Adler & Mitchell, in Newark, N. J., has been seized by the sheriff on judgments aggregating nearly $40,000.

—McLeod Stewart, ex-Mayor of Ottawa, Ont., made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of his creditors. His liabilities will amount to over $250,000.

—Frederick Mathushek, the inventor, whose piano improvements are in general use all over the world, died at his home in New York city Monday.

—The navy department has received a telegram announcing the arrival of the San Francisco at Acapulco, whence she will sail at once for San Francisco.

—The British ship Wamphray, from Glasgow for San Francisco, was totally destroyed by fire at sea. All on board were saved and landed at Iquique.

—The large building at 629 Market street, Philadelphia, occupied by Lippincott, Johnson & Co., dealers in woolens and clothing, was destroyed by fire yesterday, causing a loss of $251,000.

—The town of Hayward, Wis., was badly damaged at 12 20 a. m., yesterday, by the explosion of a large amount of dynamite. One man was killed outright, and many persons were injured.

—Comptroller Lacy states that none of the Boston banks are affected by the failure of the Maverick bank, and that careful inquiry developed the fact that none of the state or internal banks will be embarrassed.

—The Rankin Clothing Manufacturing Co. of Nashville, Tenn., has made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors. Liabilities, $128,093 47; assets, $133,585 77. The principal creditors are in New York.

—The Pacific Athletic club directors have arranged a match between George Choynski, the noted heavy-weight of San Francisco, and Billy Woods, of Denver, for next month. A purse of $4,000 will be hung up for the men.

—Archbishop Croke, of Dublin, who is custodian of the fund for the relief of the sufferers from crop failures, announces that he has received the sum of £21,440 for this object, and that of this amount £21,220 came from New York.

—Dr. N. C. Palmer, charged with burglary of Christianson's store at Raymond Center, Wis., last August, was sentenced at Racine, yesterday, to one year in the state prison. After sentence was pronounced the doctor wept like a child, and there was scarcely a dry eye in the court room.

—Later dispatches state that in addition to the loss of nearly the entire crew of seventy-eight of the British convict-vessel Enterprise by the cyclone in the Bay of Bengal, Monday, nearly 150 other persons perished, and 250 others were injured. Great damage, also, was done to property of all kinds.

—Miss Rosa Lawless, sister of Lord Clancurry, was found drowned in the lake on her brother's estate, at Clancurry, county Kildare. There seems to be considerable mystery surrounding the matter, disappointment in love and ill health being mentioned as causes of suicide, while rumors of murder are not wanting.

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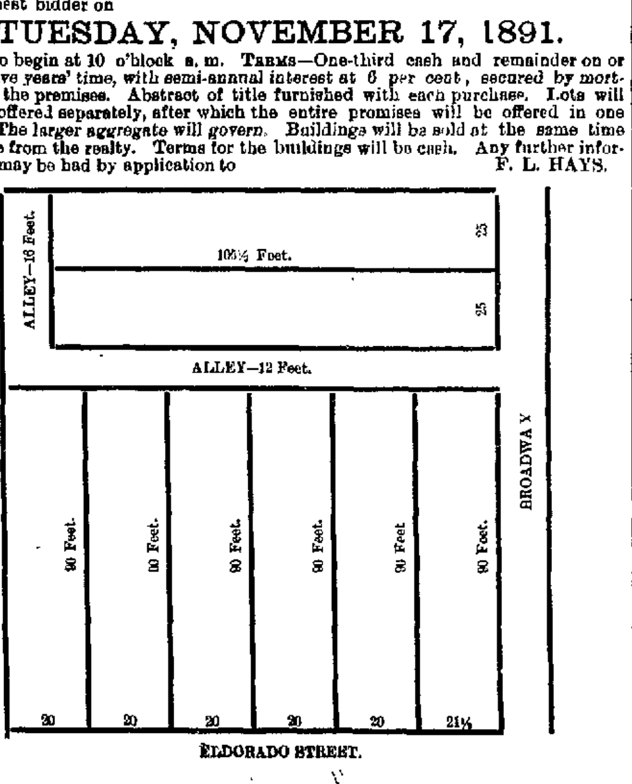

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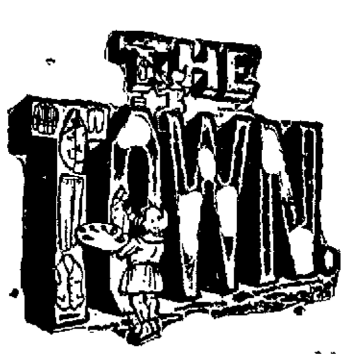

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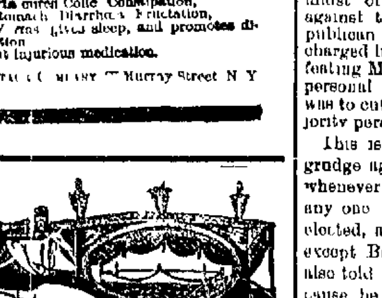

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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 11, 1891.

The Two Parties

There is no reason why the Republicans should not win in 1892 There are many reasons why the Democrats should not win The Republican party is a party of principles well and always faithfully defined It never trims its sails with a view of trading on the prejudices of ignorant people It seeks power with a view of applying its principles to the affairs of government This has been its history since its organization and it has placed upon the statute books of the country doctrine crystalized into the best laws the country has ever known. It has always been fair with the people, sometimes to the extent of opposing measures demagogues had succeeded in leading certain classes to believe were for their benefit when in fact these measures would have been detrimental to the best interests of such classes, and for these reasons it ought to win in 1892

The Democratic party should not win because its course has been the reverse of that of the Republican party. It has sought to win for no other purpose than to get into power for the sake of office. This disposition has led it into many compromising situations It has been on all sides of all questions during the last thirty years It has been the *Absalom of the country, encouraging* dissention and dissatisfaction among the people and then declaring that if it "were only made judge in the land, every man who had a grievance would get justice"

It has failed, on account of this plan, to hold to the advocacy or the defense of any issue, upon any subject. Whatever its platform may express on finances, the tariff or sumptuary laws, you will find goldbug Democrats, free silver Democrats, protection Democrats, free trade Democrats, whisky Democrats and temperance Democrats coming together, standing shoulder to shoulder, making the battle together simply because they are Democrats and desire the offices. Its only bond of union, the only ground upon which it can unite is the word "Democrat," though shorn of its original glory by its demagogical leaders, who, by by their efforts to make it mean everything, have made the word "Democrat" mean nothing

With these well known conditions in its make up the Democratic party, in power, could do nothing for the people because they could unite on nothing, and ought not win in 1892 If the intelligence and good sense of the American people can be depended upon it will not win in 1892

SPRINGFIELD (Mass) *Union* Make it Blaine and McKinley and the country will express its approval. Major McKinley's triumph in Ohio brings him to the front, but it would be a mistake to make him the leader, and, in fact, it will be out of the question if Mr Blaine is a well man next spring But if the ticket reads "Blaine and McKinley" it will bring out the full strength of the party, and that is enough to win with Major McKinley and the tariff bill which bears his name have been handsomely indorsed, and Mr. Blaine and reciprocity were indorsed long ago Blaine and McKinley can be elected

If the *Union* has any doubt of Mr Blaine's ability, as a Presidential candidate, to bring out the full party strength it had better cast about for a candidate that in its opinion can bring out the full party strength The plan of depending upon the second man on the ticket to bring out the vote of the party is based *on bad politics and must in the nature* of things prove a dismal failure The plan of the *Union* is only excelled in asininity by the Kansas plan of putting McKinley on the ticket with Blaine for fear Blaine might die

A Small Man's Work

South Bend *Tribune* Col. Conger, the famous Republican politician of Akron, O, ordered a cut in wages in his reaper works, where hundreds of men are employed He made the cut right in the midst of the Republican campaign against the earnest protests of the Republican committee, and it is now charged he did it for the purpose of defeating McKinley, against whom he had a personal grudge The result of the cut was to cut down Akron's Republican majority perceptibly.

This is the same Conger who has a grudge against President Harrison, and whenever he can secure an audience from any one tells how Harrison cannot be elected, and that no other Republican except Blaine can be elected He has also told the country that he knows, because he got it on the dead from Joe Manley that Blaine is willing to become a candidate His vaporings are calculated to injure Mr Blaine or any person whose candidacy he might favor

FORT WAYNE *Gazette* Gen Palmer, commander in chief of the G A R, has issued an order in which he requests members of the Grand Army to restrain from participating in parades in which the rebel flag or rebel emblems are displayed The reason for the order is the action of the brigadier at a meeting in the South a short time since in displaying the rebel flag in the parade in which the veterans participated. We believe the action of Gen Palmer is justifiable. We have but one flag in this country, The stars and stripes, the protection of which has cost millions of lives and money, is a banner good enough for any patriotic citizen The rebel flag was long ago shot to pieces and has no place in the United States We have no sympathy for the rebel flag or the "lost cause," and no valid reason can be urged why treason should be revived. Let the rebel flag and the "lost cause" sink into the oblivion to which they properly belong

IN the treasury department in Washington the other day the question arose as to the weight of a dollar bill Scales of perfect accuracy were brought into requisition, and the surprising discovery was made that twenty seven $1 notes weighed exactly as much as a $20 gold piece The latter just balances 540 grains However, the bills weighed were perfectly crisp and new. Trial made with soiled notes, such as come in every day for redemption, showed that twenty-seven of them weighed considerably more than the $20 coin. Every paper dollar on its way through the world continually accumulates dirt, perspiration and grease, so that after a year of use it is perceptibly heavier.

But how about the Ohio case? We were told that the Democrats gerrymandered that state outrageously The Republicans carried it by 20,000 and got a majority of 40 in the Legislature. That doesn't look much as if the Democrats fixed things.—*Review*.

No; but they did the best they could to fix things. The *Review* does not seem to know that the members of the General Assembly in Ohio are elected by counties, except in Hamilton and a few other counties, and could not be gerrymandered. The Repuqlicans got this majority by carrying Democratic counties by the wholesale.

LAST week there was some excitement in Germany over the report that a family had contracted trichiniasis It was at once suspected that this was due to American pork An investigation was promptly made, the result being that the family had been eating pork purchased at a local slaughter house and that they had not eaten any American pork The pork had been eaten without properly cooking it. The chances are that no meat ever exported from America into Germany was infected with trichinæ

PEORIA *Journal* England has once more made itself offensive to all genuine Americans by intruding into the dispute between the United States and Chili. It is characteristic English insolence What has England to do in these concerns, anyway? The day will come, and it may not be long in coming, when England will rue the day when she was led to interfere in our affairs, as she has been doing for the last half century, whenever the opportunity offered

GOVERNOR RUSSELL, of Massachusetts, is only 32 years of age and is, of course, ineligible for vice president of the United States. And yet many Democratic newspapers refer to him as a possibility for that nomination.

A MAN who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar, read what he says.

TOLEDO, O, Jan. 10, 1887.

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LOST—On Water or West William street—a pocket book containing thirty dollars and five cents Contents will be identified and finder will be paid a reward of $5 by leaving same at Piper's Studio nov10 d6*

PALMISTRY—Madam Rowdell the noted mind reader and palmister, will be in this city 10 days only, will give the best of satisfaction and comes well recommended from many cities, this being her fourth tour to America She invites both ladies and gentlemen Calling hours 12 to 9 p m at European Hotel, 153 South Main street Come and have your fortune told 6d1w*

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LOTS FOR SALE—A few choice lots for sale one block north of the Edward Street Short Line Street Railway Apply to A J WILLIAMS no4d2w*

BARGAIN PRICES—CHANGE OF PLAN—Hines & Co at 245 North Main street, leaders in the second hand furniture and stove business in Decatur, have adopted a new departure in their line They buy for cash and sell for cash, the purchaser practically given the privilege of setting his own price on articles wanted Stoves that some dealers buy for a dollar and hold for $8 go at Hines & Co's place at $3 and $4, just enough to cover repairs and storage Similar bargains may be had in all styles of furniture and old furniture neatly upholstered to order Repair work generally Cash for old furniture or new furniture in exchange. oct30 d1mo

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A controlling interest in the Post Office Shoe Store Reason, want to change my business G W Waggoner oct2dtf

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Sarah L Oakes, Deceased

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Sarah L. Oakes, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1891
WILLIAM L. OAKES,
nov10-d3w Executor.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

State of Illinois, Macon County } In the Circuit Court.

Lincoln Steel vs Yates Steel et al } No 13882 Bill for Foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, rendered in the above entitled case at the September term of said court, A D 1891, I, James J Finn, Master-in-Chancery of said Court, will on

Wednesday, November 25, 1891,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p m., at the west outside entrance to the Circuit Court room, in the city of Decatur, in said County, offer for sale subject to redemption, according to law, and subject to the approval of the Court, at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the lands mentioned in said decree and described as follows, to wit

All of that part of the southeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-two (32), township fifteen (15) north, range two (2), east of the 3rd principal meridian, lying west of the right of way of the Illinois Central railroad, except lots Nos. ten (10) and eleven (11) of block two (2) of Steel's addition to Macon, situated in Macon county, Illinois, subject to a certain mortgage of Clifford M Anthony, trustee, mentioned in said decree, which mortgage the purchaser will assume to pay at maturity

Dated at Decatur, Ill, this 2d day of November, A. D. 1891

JAMES J FINN,
Master in Chancery
I D WALKER, Solicitor
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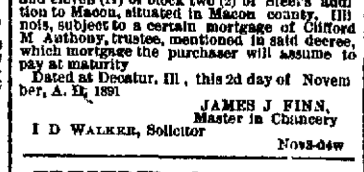

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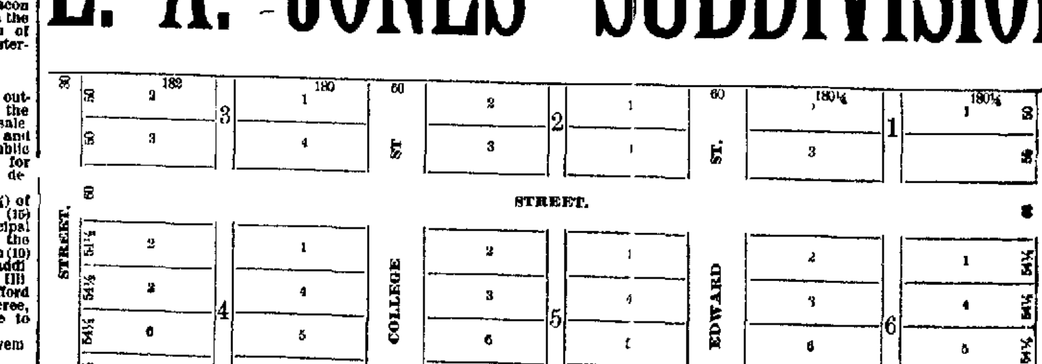

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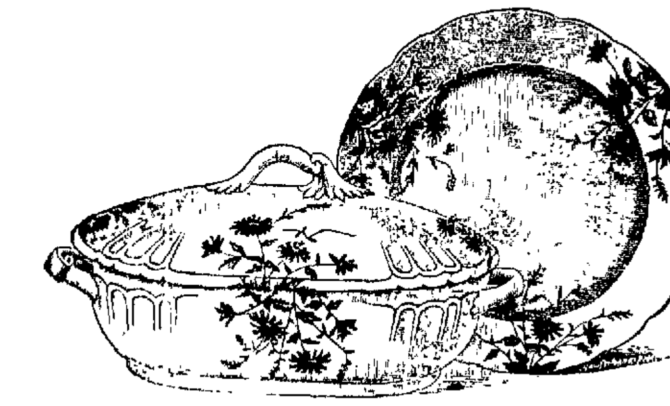

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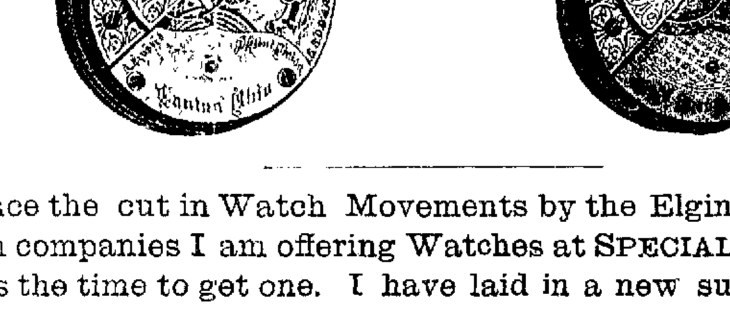

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court to the January Term, A. D. 1892.

Elizabeth Cross vs. Abel W. Cross. Divorce.

Affidavit of the non residence in this state of the said Abel W. Cross, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Abel W. Cross that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said Court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said Macon county on the second Monday in the month of January, 1892. Now, unless you, the said Abel W. Cross, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

B. I. Brenerr, Sol. for Complainant
nov5-d4w

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BEAUTIFUL MANTELS, at very reasonable prices, at Lytle & Eckels Hardware Company. tf

STRICTLY pure candies, at living prices at Harry's Kandy Kitchen.

USE Decatur nut coal at $1.30 per ton, delivered. Send orders by telephone. Call up Nos. 89, 109 or 227. oct12-dtf

SANDWICHES and coffee at Wood's.

BUILDING will continue through the winter in Decatur, the same as usual, and the mechanics will not be idle.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

MANY of the Knights of Pythias will be at the opera house to-night with their families to witness the performance by Harry Jackson's company in the Hoop of Gold.

THE finest candy in the city at Wood's.

ILLINOIS farmers tell of enormous yields of corn. Some fields are reported as having produced 100 bushels to the acre.

THE famous Ferguson & Mack Company, which is very popular in this city, will present the merry farce, "McCarthy's Mishaps," at the Grand on Friday evening next. Many of the old favorites are still with the company and a number of novel features have been introduced. It is needless to state that they will be greeted by a large audience.

THE combination of ingredients found in Ayer's Pills renders them tonic and curative as well as cathartic. For this reason they are the best medicine for people of costive habit, as they restore the natural action of the bowels, without debilitating.

A DAKOTA paper tells the latest corn story. It says a farmer raised 1,000 bushels of popcorn and stored it in a barn. The barn caught fire, the corn began to pop and filled a ten-acre field. An old mare in a neighboring pasture had defective eyesight, saw the corn, thought it was snow, and laid down and froze to death.

WITH the 19th century dawned the era of wonders. It has also proven an era of surprise—for notwithstanding its giant strides toward knowledge, we are told that there are still in some places, few citizens who have not heard of Salvation Oil.

Be on time, for prevention is better than cure. All coughs and colds, throat and lung effections, are cured by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Only 25 cts.

IT looks as if a new hotel is to be built at Spring Lake, the well-known hunting and fishing resort, and the J. S. E. road is at the back of it. Plans and specifications for a new $5,000 hotel are being figured on that will be located at Marshall's Landing. This will make a fine summer resort with all the accommodations for the hunters and lovers of good fishing.

"IF I rest I rust" is a German proverb. "If I rest I bust" is the American version.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now she does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at King & Wood's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

IT is as easy to tell a lie as it is to tell the truth, but it is not half so lonesome.

Startling Facts.

The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the following suggests the best remedy: Alphonso Hempfling, of Butler, Pa., swears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus dance, Dr. Miles' great restorative Nervine cured him. Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Valparaiso, and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache and nervous prostration by one bottle. Trial bottles and fine book of marvelous cures, free at W. C. Armstrong's, who recommends and guarantees this unequaled remedy.

MOUNTAINS may not have mouths and noses, but we have seen a mountain-eer.

Why?

Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. $500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old. It is grand in sickness, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by physicians. Sold only in quart bottles. Price, $1. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

A WOMAN'S glory is in her hair, but it is a good plan to tie it up when cooking.

MY wife was so badly afflicted with rheumatism as to be unable to move in bed without assistance. Our druggist, Mr. Laddamus, recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which greatly relieved her. We have used six bottles at various times, and would not be without it at hand.—JAS. COLEMAN, Lowell, Neb. 50 bottles, sold by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

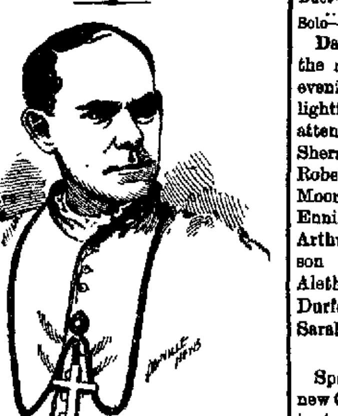
WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov5-d&wtf

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BISHOP JOHN L. SPALDING.

Scholarly Lecture on "Christianity and Civilization" at the Grand.

Distinguished Divines in Attendance to Enjoy the Discussion.



The above is a good portrait of Rt. Rev. John L. Spalding, D. D., the distinguished Bishop of the Peoria Catholic Diocese, who spoke for an hour and twenty minutes at the Grand Opera House last evening on the subject of "Christianity and Civilization." The Bishop had been at Danville where on Sunday he consecrated the newly erected Catholic institutions — St. Patrick's School, St. Mary's Academy and St. Patrick's Church and parsonage—pictures of which buildings and of Bishops Spalding, Ryan and Dean O'Reilley appeared in the Danville *News* of Monday. He was accompanied by a number of clergymen to Ivesdale yesterday, where a class of 200 was confirmed, and last night he filled his engagement in Decatur. The Bishop was introduced by Father Mackin in a few words. Upon the stage were the following divines: Rt. Rev. James Ryan, Bishop of Alton; Very Rev. P. J. Mackin, of Decatur; Father McShane, of Chicago; Father Crow, of Mattoon; Father Higgins, of Taylorville; Father Stick, of Pana; Father M. E. Mackin, of Chicago: Father Lentz, of Bement; Father Dooling, of Wapella; Father Sweeney, of Dalton; Father Poetken, of Danville, and Father Brennan, of this city. In the audience was a very large company of people, many of the Protestant churches being represented. The first floor was nearly filled, as was also the balcony.

Bishop Spalding was received with applause as he stepped to the front after the introduction. He spoke slowly at first and gradually became more animated until midway in the lecture, and on to the close his words came thick and fast and there were frequent flights of eloquence. The lecture in brief presented the conclusions of a student and scholar, and he carried conviction with every proposition advanced. He defined Christianity as the religion of Christ, and Civilization as the predominance of man's spiritual nature over his animal nature The more a man is developed intellectually and spiritually, the more civilization is advanced. Civilization in its real sense is only an evidence of man's spiritual development. Whatever tends to develop man's higher thoughts, whatever brings true conduct, honesty and higher imagination, tends to civilization. It is true that religion has been the great source of man's inspiration. It was true of the Greeks, of the Romans and the Mohammedans. * * * The christian religion in a certain way has revolutionized the world. To-day there are fourteen hundred million people on earth and the boundaries of christianity are the boundaries of civilization. The tribes of Africa and the Chinese are still on the outside. * * * Christianity has not accomplished all things, but the coming of Christ and the spread of His religion has radically changed the opinions, beliefs and ideas of men on important subjects. To-day the greatest idea of God with the people is the individual conception of what is beautiful and good. The teaching of the pulpit is that God's sympathy is with the perfection of the individual. Every man yearns to be good and just, to do right, and be in harmony with all of God's laws. To do wrong is to degrade and lower man. The great power of man is the power to do right.

The Bishop in a masterly manner traced the influence of christianity upon the nations of the earth, and then came down to the discovery by Columbus of America, where he declares the highest type of christianity prevails, a christianity which is steadily making its influence felt for general good on all Europe. He landed the idea and work of Columbus, who would have been powerless to act but for the help of the monastery monk and the noble act of Queen Isabella in selling her jewels that Columbus might be fitted out with ships for his perilous journey across the Atlantic.

The closing portion of the address was a condensation of the principles of true religion, a presentation of the speaker's ideas of right living, and the importance of clinging close to the religion of Christ—be true and honest and upright at all times and to the most lowly man who has genius and talent, who seeks honors on earth, the crown will come. The Bishop gave Bob Ingersoll a slap. He said that Ingersoll in speaking on liberty and the home misled the young on questions of morality. He gave them fine rhetoric and let them soar with him, but he had nothing for the heart, and left them floundering in darkness.

The address commanded the fixed attention of the audience and was interrupted by applause. It was an intellectual treat to all present.

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THE mantle of earth is its land's cape.

A farmer near Albia, Iowa, by the name of J. H. Wolf, has found a sure cure for croup. He says: "For the last eight years I have recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for croup. Half of a fifty cent bottle will cure the worst case, if taken in time. On the 20th of this month, my boy, four years old, had the croup very bad and three doses cured him. I would not be without it in my family." If the remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, it will invariably prevent the croup. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler.

A Musicale.

The Misses Sarah and Louie Boyd gave an informal musicale last evening to a party of their friends on West North street. The following program was observed:

Duet—"Carol Symphony" .... Misses Sarah and Louie Boyd
Solo—"Creole Lovers" .... Sherman McClelland
Duet—"Witch's Frolic" and "Lion de Bal" .... Messrs. Frank and Ed Powers
Solo—"Allah" .... Frank Powers
Duet—"The Regiment" .... Misses Sarah Boyd and Mae Johnson
Solo—"Elizabeth's Prayer" .... Miss Louie Boyd

Dainty refreshments were served after the rendition of the program, and the evening's entertainment was voted a delightful success by all present. Those in attendance were Frank and Ed Powers, Sherman McClelland, Lew Eyman, Jas. Roberts, Luther Shellabarger, McCabe Moore of Kansas City, Walter Boyd, Will Ennis, Henry Prather, Arthur Race, Arthur Alexander, and Misses Mae Johnson of Minneapolis, Harriet Howell, Alethea Fuller, Mary Condell, Lucile Durfee, Miss Warren, Misses Louie and Sarah Boyd.

Racing Dates Fixed.

Speaking of the coming races in the new Central Illinois circuit the Bloomington *Bulletin* states on the authority of President Neville that the dates have been fully arranged. Pekin will have the last week in June; Decatur, Fourth of July week; Bloomington second week in July; Danville third and Kankakee fourth. Springfield has not yet fully organized. Each city will hang up $8,000 in cash purses. For the Bloomington meeting a special purse of $2500 has been substantially arranged for the match, with Roy Wilkes, Telegram and Grant's Abdallah as starters. The horses are all 2:12 or better, and their race at Terre Haute this year was never excelled.

The Decatur Fanciers' Club.

The American Fat Stock show opened in Chicago to-day with J. G. Imboden of this city, officiating as one of the judges of fat stock. The Decatur Fanciers' Club have sent a large number of prize poultry to Chicago to capture the prizes. The individual exhibitors are, Bartholomew & Judy, light brahmas; Churchman & Walser, langshans; Frank Stevenson, partridge cochins; E. D. Bartholomew, plymouth rocks. All of the fowls will be entered as coming from the Decatur Fanciers' Club and Mrs. R. A. Judy, who went to Chicago yesterday, will act as superintendent of the exhibit.

Funeral of Mrs. Knox.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jacob Knox was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, 336 East Wood street, Rev. W. C. Miller conducting the services. The floral offerings were very beautiful. The body was placed in the J. B. Bullard receiving vault in Greenwood Cemetery for several days. The pall bearers were Charles Young, William Brown, Henry Huessing, Fred Litterer, John Miller and W. A. Townend.

AN exchange says that 10 months ago, at her wedding supper, a Peoria girl wept because the bridegroom upset a salt cellar, declaring that great trouble would come upon them both. Sure enough, last week her husband had a carbuncle as big as a base ball and she had 13½ pounds of twins.

Sudden Deaths.

Heart disease is by far the most frequent cause of sudden death, which in three cases out of four is unsuspected. The symptoms are not generally understood. These are: a habit of lying on the right side, short breath, pain or distress in the side, back or shoulder, irregular pulse, asthma, weak and hungry spells, wind in stomach, swelling of ankles or dropsy, oppression, dry cough and smothering. Dr. Miles' illustrated book on heart disease free at W. C. Armstrong's who sell and guarrantee Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, and his Restorative Nervine, which cures nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, effects of drinking, etc. It contains no opiates.

ANYBODY can walk into the parlor, but it takes nerve to walk into the spider.

AFTER FORTY YEARS.—"My father had a fever sore on his leg for forty years; but has been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment, after trying all other remedies in vain," says Mr. S. Whiterell, a gun of locksmith, at Fort Madison, Iowa. He further says: "The spot where the sore was, is now perfectly clean as any other part. He used three 25 cent boxes in all." ANOTHER!—Mr. D. A. Barr, Druggist, Blackburn, Mo., says: "I have personal knowledge of a case of chronic sore eyes of many years strnding, having been cured by Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. The party was Mr. Seth Moore, north of this place." Mr. Moore says the ointment was worth more than a thousand dollars to him. It cost him 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist.

DR. REED'S corn cure and bunion salve are sold at Irwin's Pharmacy. o29-dtf

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

German Teachers' Meeting.

The two days' session of the German Lutheran teachers of Central Illinois began to-day at 10-30 a. m. at the school building on East Prairie street with delegates in attendance from Decatur, Danville, Springfield, Rock Island, Strausburg, Buckley, Effingham, Mt. Pulaski, Warsaw, Beardstown, Pekin, Peoria, Woodsword, Quincy, Altamont and Davenport, Iowa. Matters in reference to the parochial schools will be discussed, and points on the best methods of teaching and governing pupils will be exchanged. The convention will adjourn to-morrow evening when Rev. J. W. Lessman of Decatur, will deliver an address. The address of welcome was given this forenoon by President Stamner, of Bloomington. F. K. Hildebrandt, of Decatur, is the Secretary of the society.

A New Departure.

A lecture will be given at the Woman's Club Rooms on Thursday evening, Nov. 12th, by Celia P. Woolley, ex-president of the Woman's Club of Chicago, on Tennyson, illustrated by music and recitations from the celebrated author, followed by a reception. Mrs. Woolley is an enthusiastic worker, and a most entertaining talker. She is the author of several popular works, among which "Love and Theology" and "A Girl Graduate" have become famous. The public has never been disappointed by the quality of lectures furnished at the Club room, and as this is the first one of a short course, it is hoped that due appreciation of the effort to furnish good entertainments only will meet with the encouragement of a full house. Seats on sale at the Woman's Exchange.

The New "Devil's Auction."

It will be seen at the Grand to-morrow night. Here is what the *North American* said of it:

William J. Gilmore brought one of his own attractions to his own theater last night, and showed to a large and boisterous audience what he could do in the line of spectacular shows. The piece was the "Devil's Auction," one of the best of that class of theatrical entertainments which appeals to the public by reason of their scenic beauty, and it was produced with all the requisite spectacular accessories. The scenery and the costumes were both striking and often very elaborate, and the mechanical appliances introduced in a number of the stage property tricks were cleverly done and well received. In this regard Will Ruge, in the guise of an imp of darkness, gave evidence of wonderful agility and nimbleness of limb. Several good features and specialties are introduced in the new "Devil's Auction," and chief among them are the Transatlantique Ballet Troupe, the noted Lorellas, the marvellous Bosbobies, in acrobatic feats, and an Oriental ballet. Miss Louise Dempsey and Miss Victoria Walters also did some capital specialty work incidental to the performance. The members of the company were mostly unknown here, but nearly all were satisfactory. Mr. George H. Adams played "Toby," Miss Eva Selbie "Madeline" and there were more than a score and ten other names on the programme, all of whom appeared in the production.

Gunsmithing.

While in St. Louis we secured the services of James Tuitie, a first class gun smith, and we are now prepared much better than before to do all kinds of repair work on short order. Our repair shop is now operated by two excellent gunsmiths and one bicycle repairer. We guarantee our work and solicit your orders. H. MUELLER & SONS,
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has so good an effect. Elmer Hodson, Alvarado, Tex., writes: "My strength and health had been failing me for several years. My blood was in a very impoverished condition and very impure. My limbs felt lame, rickety and rheumatic, and I could not walk without tottering. I felt myself growing prematurely old, and my face began to look pinched and shriveled. I suffered considerable, was restless at night, very nervous, and growing very melancholy. My eyes were sore and I had catarrh. I tried many tonics, and bitters and blood purifiers, but failed to get better. I finally asked a physician which

IS THE BEST

Sarsaparilla, and he replied Dr John Bull's. I bought six bottles, and before I had used it all I felt like another man. My strength and health improved, pimples and sores disappeared from my person, aches and stiff joints left me, and I now consider myself a well person."

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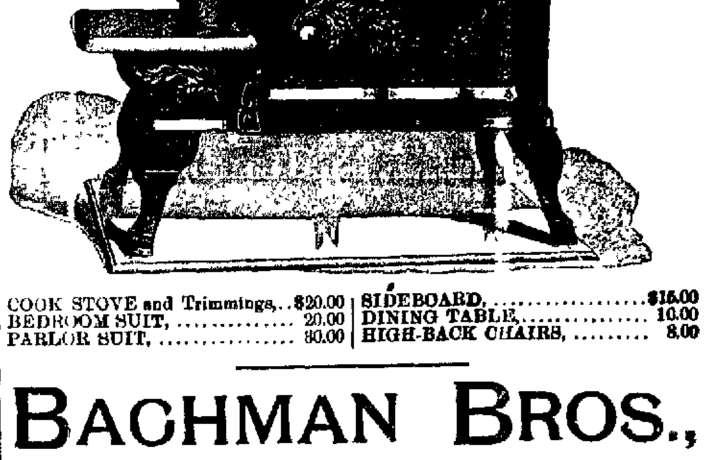

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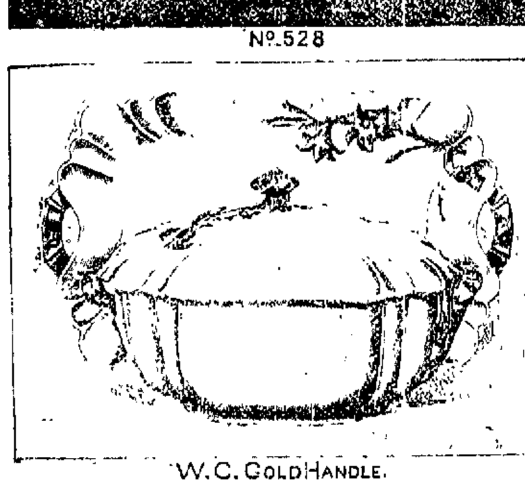

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6 packages Coffee	1 00	2 " String Beans, 3 cans for	25c
4 lbs. Fine Combination Coffee	1 00	2 " Marrowfat Peas, 4 cans	25c
3 lbs. Gunpowder Tea for	1 00	Alaska Salmon, per can	10c
5 lbs. good Rice for	25	Columbia River Salmon, per can	15c
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NEW YORK COUNTS, man's size, at Singleton's.

PURE CANDIES at Harry's Kandy Kitchen.

THE rain has ceased and the sun shines once more.

VISIT the Kandy Kitchen, north end Central Block.

DEETZ & SON, contracting brick layers, 123 Merchant st. Jan14 dtf

WORK on the Court House was resumed this morning.

REAL estate excursion to Chicago Nov. 16th, $6 round trip.

THE success of the age—Hoop of Gold—at the opera house to-night.

OYSTERS, raw, stewed or fried, at Wood's, 112 Merchant street.

SELECT the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars made by Joseph Michl.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS, the finest in the market, at Ralph Templeton's.

FIRST lecture of the series at the Woman's Club rooms to-morrow night.

DR. M. BRANDON has taken possession of his new office in the Fenton Block.

DON'T fail to see the Hoop of Gold tonight. Admission—15, 25 and 35 cents.

TELEPHONE to 89, 109 or 227 for Decatur nut coal, at $1.30 per ton, delivered.

LOWNEY'S fine chocolates at Woods'.

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LEAVE orders at Hanks & Co.'s store for good groceries, fine apples and potatoes.

IN his present affliction Rev. James Miller has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

THE Short Line cars are to make regular trips every 15 minutes, as required by ordinance.

SUPERIOR dinners and lunches at W. A. Combs' popular restaurant on North Water street.

DR. R. L. WALSTON was made a knight at the meeting of Chevalier Bayard lodge, K. P., last night.

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THE Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter is J. J. H. Young, at the REPUBLICAN office. dtf

ABEL'S CARPET HOUSE is closing out remnants of carpets, oil cloth and wall paper at less than value. o19d&w1m

B. BRADLEY received the tickets at the door of the Grand last night at the Bishop Spalding lecture.

A MARRIAGE license was issued to-day to Charles E. Weakley, of Decatur, and Miss Mary M. Peck, of LaPlace.

THE best line of family groceries, good country butter and fruits every day at Cool Bros.' store, 217 North Main street.

THE "Devil's Auction" will be presented to morrow night at the Grand secure your seats in advance at Templeton's drug store.

TO-DAY Geo. W. Ebrhart & Co. have a big consignment of splendid apples on track and the firm is ready to supply the trade promptly.

THE court house committee yesterday ordered that Contractor Moses be paid $8,000. This is the third payment, making a total of $26,500.

THE Knights of Labor now have 200,000 members. The expenditures of the past year were $102,454, and the balance in the treasury is $10,263.

TO-DAY a representative of the Richter & Doland marble works, Springfield, was in Decatur, trying to work up business, seeking orders for monuments.

A STORY comes to us from Ivesdale to the effect that Elijah Cloud married a woman three days after he buried his wife. It's a tough yarn, hard to believe.

Do not forget Van Vlissingen's excursion to Roseland and Chicago, Nov. 16. For tickets and full particulars see Bulmer & Meyers at Brunswick Hotel.

ALWAYS popular and in demand are those superb Haines pianos, sold in Decatur only by C. B. Prescott. It will pay you to look at those splendid instruments.

THE ladies of the Aid Society are getting ready to sell tickets for the charity ball to occur before or after Thanksgiving day, probably at the St. Nicholas hotel.

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OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

LAST evening at the home on West North street, Dr. and Mrs. Ira N. Barnes entertained a congenial company of friends at tea. An elaborate supper was served and the hours were passed very pleasantly at the hospitable home.

BOTH air and water abound in microbes, or germs of disease, ready to infect the debilitated system. To impart that strength and vigor necessary to retain the effect of these pernicious atoms, no tonic blood-purifier equals Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

THE National Bank at Springfield will have a six story building. The talk is that J. Millikin & Co., this city, will have an eight story bank building, the change to be made next spring. The upper stories will be given up to offices, and there will be one or more elevators.

THE S. W. Johns stock sale on the farm near Oreana has been postponed until Thursday, Nov. 23. The rain of yesterday kept the people away, although nearly 200 were present to enjoy the free lunch. Remember the new date, Nov. 23.

THE attendance at the Dunn temperance meeting at the court house last night was large. Mr. Dunn spoke with his usual earnestness and power, and many additional signers to the pledge were secured. Meeting again to-night.

THE Alton Presbytery has unanimously indorsed the report of the committee of the General Assembly on the proposed revision of the confession of faith, with a few recommendations as to minor changes.

A HALF block more of paving and the Prairie Avenue improvement will be finished. A stone walk is to be laid across the street at Pine street.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. George R. Bacon is on the sick list.

J. J. Moran has gone to Chicago on business.

Judge Vail went to Danville to-day to hold court.

Guy R. Stanley has returned to his home in St. Louis.

Gen. Powell and Robert Rodgers have returned to Belleville.

W. H. Keller, of Walker, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. Wm. Bowers is at Monticello visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Crea.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Damrow has returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

McCabe Moore, of Kansas City, is in the city visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. N. Moore.

A. S. Crowder, who has been in Chicago visiting his friend, Will Quinlan, has returned home.

Born, on Sunday, Nov. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard, at 1028 East William street, a son.

Abe Holland, the hustling cigar manufacturer, is enjoying a visit from his great uncle D. Holland of Chicago.

M. Maxon, manager of the Tank Line Company, is down with an attack of typhoid fever. He is some better to-day.

Mrs. G. E. Barnett, who has been visiting relatives in New Holland and Dayton, O., will arrive home to-morrow morning.

Bishops Spalding and Ryan departed this morning for St. Louis. While in Decatur they were the guests of Very Rev. P. J. Mackin.

E. C. Taxbury, the insurance surveyor, who has been in the city for several days past, left to-day for Jacksonville. While here he was a guest at the Central House.

George R. Stanton, of the City of Mexico, Mexico, is in the city. The date of the marriage of Mr. Stanton and Miss Mollie Barnes is fixed for Wednesday, Nov. 18.

Mrs. C. F. Merkle, of Paris, who has been in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. E. P. Vail, and other relatives, departed to-day for Maroa, where she will visit several days.

Mrs. E. K. Strader left to-day for Leavenworth, Kansas, where she will visit her son, M. M. Strader, and family. Her son, E. J. Strader, accompanied her as far as St. Louis.

K. Harwood departed yesterday afternoon on an extended trip through the west. He will visit a number of points in California and Old Mexico, and will be absent several months.

Isaac Haller, of Pickaway county, O., an uncle of W. H. Grindol, has been in the city several days visiting relatives. He left this morning for Montgomery county and will go from thence to his home. His sister, Mrs. Susan Kennedy, of Denver, Colo., who has been in the city visiting relatives, accompanied him home.

Sales of Real Estate.

J. F. Helmick to Charles H. Mahoney, deed to lot 8, block 2, in Argenta—$260.

C. M. Allison to D. N. Moore, deed to 73 feet off north side lot 10, block 1, John Williams' addition—$2000.

J. S. Starr to I. Eliza Snarr, deed to south half lot 12, in resurvey of part of block 3, Prather & Adamson's addition—$1425.

John W. McCormick et al, to Carl Browatzki, lot 5, in block 14, of Carver's addition to Decatur;—$800.

K. H. Roby to Andrew Heminger, ten feet in width off of the east side of lot 3 and lot 4, in E. O. Smith's resurvey of block 14, in the western addition to Decatur;—3,000.

Chas. J. Bryan to John J. Moore, lot 8, in block 7, of North addition to Decatur;—$2,400.

Jo-Jo Bishop.

He is a young negro who has created a big sensation at the African M. E church on Spring Avenue, where he will give his last entertainment to-night. Jo-Jo, last night in the presence of judges and the audience ate six pins, five needles, and a half box of tacks. He also ate fire and blew the flames from between his lips, besides biting a thick knife blade in two. Besides these wonderful feats, barefooted Bishop jumped into a box containing three bushels of broken glass, and came out without a scratch. Last chance to see him to-night. Go down.

News from Macon.

Prof. H. A. Kitch visited Decatur last Saturday.

Mrs. Clara McGee and daughter Stella are visiting relatives in Vera.

Old Mr. Joe Heckler died very suddenly last Sunday night and was buried Tuesday.

Rev. M. D. Hawes, of Decatur, preached at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning.

The citizens of Macon don't care for public water now, since the recent rains, for their cisterns are all full.

Rev. W. H. Illsley delivered a very interesting lecture last Tuesday night at the Presbyterian Church about the lumber and copper regions of Northern Michigan. He had specimens of the copper of that country in its natural state. He said there was gold, silver, copper and iron found there.

All So and No Magic.

The Simms entertainment at the African M. E. Church on Spring Avenue is just what he claims. There was a small audience present last night and all were more excited at the wonderful performance than at anything they had ever seen in Decatur. Simms put in his stomach six pins, one knife blade, five needles, half a box of tacks, and with his bare feet stamped on glass hard enough to shake water in the tumblers on the table. Go and see him. Last performance tonight. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 1t

Now you know that Ferriss & Lapham always sole your shoes cheap. But all past prices are not in it compared with the low prices which they are now quoting. They must turn their present wholesale stock into cash before January 1 and they have to sell the bulk of it at retail in Decatur. Better go there and buy now. Nothing like getting a pair of shoes at half price when you can. Ferriss & Lapham, 148 East Main street. tf.

Pacs.

Can't say, but Ralph Templeton will give to each purchaser of 25c worth of Drugs, Medicine, Candies, Perfumes, Face Powder, Cosmetics, Brushes, etc., who mention this ad, an elegant scented cake of transparant toilet soap. Good for one week. nov7-d1w

THE SILENT REAPER.

Death of Walter W. Miller at His Home on Prairie Avenue.

Death entered the home of Rev. and Mrs. James Miller to-day and now their beloved second son, Walter W. Miller, is at rest, taken away in the 22d year of his age, just as he had arrived at man's estate. He passed away resignedly and peacefully at 9:20 a. m. at the family home, No. 328 Prairie avenue.

The deceased was born at Westfield, Ill., March 17, 1870, and was first taken sick a year and three weeks ago, at which time he contracted a severe cold which was followed by an attack of la grippe, and since then he has been suffering with the chills and a fever which baffled all treatment. At the time of his first sickness Walter was studying to become a pharmacist at Blaine's drug store, but he was forced to retire, going to Las Vegas, New Mexico, in November, 1890, and remaining there until last March, when he returned in improved health. Early in the spring he went to Spokane Falls, Wash., but the climate there did not agree with him and he returned to Decatur in June. Since his return he gradually grew weaker, and with the exception of drives about the city in a buggy with his devoted father on pleasant days he did not leave his home. He took his last drive a week ago. He had been confined to his bed four days continuously. He had realized for a month past that he could not survive and he was ready for the final summons. Those of the family who mourn his death are the father and mother, Geo. E. Miller, John T. Miller and Miss Hattie May Miller, brothers and sister, besides a host of personal friends and acquaintances who knew and sympathized with him in his affliction and hoped for his ultimate recovery. Walter was a member of the First M. E. church. Had he survived he would have become a useful and honored citizen.

The sympathy of the entire community will be extended the stricken family in their great sorrow—a bereavement which must visit every home.

The funeral will take place from the First M. E. church on Friday afternoon, Nov. 13, at 3 o'clock.

A Horse on Him.

Last December a stone cutter, at work on the Presbyterian church, sought the aid of one of our attorneys in securing his final discharge papers as a member of (Co.) D 27th, Iowa Infantry. He told the attorney that he had not long before been released from the penitentiary where he had served a term for manslaughter or murder. His story was that the killing had been done in self defense. He gave his name as Geo. D. Lang which was perhaps not the name he went by in Decatur. He had left his discharge with the Sheriff of the county where he had been in jail. The attorney wrote the Sheriff asking the return of the papers but received no reply. Soon after Lang left the city. A few days ago Marshal Mason received a letter from an Iowa sheriff asking that Lang be arrested on the charge of horse stealing. It seems that after he had been released from the penitentiary he stole a horse and was arrested but managed by means of a skeleton key to get out of jail and escape. He came to Decatur and went on the job at the Presbyterian church. His departure from Decatur was no doubt due to the fact that after he got the attorney to write for his army discharge, it occurred to him that it would reveal his whereabouts to those who wanted him for horse stealing.

It is said that while Lang was in Decatur he was quite popular among a good class of people. He was gentlemanly in his bearing and a good conversationalist.

A Car Wheel with a Cushion.

One of the latest inventions to attract the attention and approval of railroad men is the cushion car wheel, which is said to possess many advantages in the way of simplicity, safety and economy, while at the same time it is almost noiseless. This wheel is composed of two parts, the centre and the tire, while between the two is a thick rubber band which acts as a cushion to absorb all the vibrations.

By a peculiar construction the tire is made so that it may be removed without taking the wheel from the axle; and the rubber is so interposed between the centre and the tire as not to be liable to injury from a hot box or from the corrosive action of the lubricants. It appears from a test made with these wheels that, after a service of more than 20,000 miles, the rubber exhibited no appearance of deterioration, while the tire showed a wear of but a thirty-second part of an inch, which is remarked as being less than one-half of the usual wear for such a distance.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Decatur Grain Company:

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—
Hogs—35,000; 10 steady.
Cattle—18,000; slow.
GRAIN—Car lots—
Wheat 495; Corn 335; Oats 405.

	NOV.	DEC.	MAY.
WHEAT	$ .95	$ .96¼	$1.03
CORN	.53½	.46¼	.43½
OATS	.31⅝	—	.32¾

	DEC.	JAN.
PORK	$ 8.45	$11.25
LARD	6 17½	6.30
RIBS	5.80	5 80

Comedy-Drama To-Night.

Harry Jackson and his talented dramatic company will appear at the Grand to-night in the deeply interesting domestic drama, "Hoop of Gold," at the following prices: 15, 25 and 35 cents. A first-class performance is assured. The play is full of comedy and new music, and the love story will not fail to please the sentimental. The house should be packed.

Leonard Assemblies.

All those wishing to join the Prof. Leonard Dancing Assemblies, which are to be formed for the winter, are requested to meet at the hall of the Red Men, on North Main street, Thursday evening, November 12th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing the dancing parties.

The Delegates.

At the state meeting of Odd Fellows at Springfield next week E. C. Bassey will represent Celestial lodge No. 186, and L. W. Fribourg will represent Decatur lodge No. 65; George W. Patterson will represent Decatur Encampment No. 37.

More Victorias.

We have just received another consignment of those "Victoria" carpet sweepers. They are the best in the world. They do not touch the carpet and for that reason do not wear the nap off of even the finest Moquet or Axminister.

LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE Co.
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STATE NEWS.

ARION trotted a mile at Stockton, Cal., in 2:10¾, and is now the fastest two-year-old in the world. Palo Alto trotted a mile in 2:09¾, only half a second behind the world's record held by Allerton.

MRS. LUCY M. BOWLES of Litchfield was yesterday awarded damages to the amount of $2,500 against William Ely an engineer on the Jacksonville & Southeastern railroad, for breach of promise.

THE Takomine process of distillation will begin at Peoria next week. It will make spirits 15 to 20 per cent. cheaper. Jacob Woolner says beer, ale and all fermented liquors can be made by the same process.

IN 1890 there were 369 brakemen killed and 7841 injured while coupling cars. The year previous over 300 were killed and 757 hurt. There are 1,200,000 freight cars in use, only 200,000 of which have safety couplers.

THE contract for building the new shops, roundhouse, etc., of the Jacksonville Southeastern railroad at Jacksonville Ill., was awarded to O. P. Munson of Galesburg yesterday. The amount involved is said to be about $50,000.

JOE WOOD, a carpenter of Jacksonville, fatally stabbed James Montgomery last evening. Montgomery mistook Wood's wife for a notorious woman and made a remark which so enraged Wood that he nearly disemboweled Montgomery.

Etta C. Richardson, of Danville, aged 15, and a railway newsboy, Burt C. Osman, aged 20, who had eloped from Danville three months ago, were found living together in Chicago Tuesday by the mother of the girl and brought before Justice Glenron Wednesday and married.

M. F. ROGERS an undertaker in Chicago who had a contract to inter the deceased inmates of an institution for dependent children has been arrested, charged with having in numerous cases saved himself the expense of burying these deceased children by hiding the little bodies one at a time in the costly linings of massive caskets provided for wealthy customers.

JUDGE A. J. HUNTER of Paris, in an interview at Peoria yesterday said he aspired to the Democratic nomination for governor of Illinois and deemed his chances for nomination and election very good. He said the only bar to his nomination might be the fact that Cook county would have a candidate. Chicago wants everything and if that city wants the governor the rest of the state would stand no show.

A Calamity Averted.

New York *Press*: The seizure of the Legislature of this State by the Democrats would have been a calamity compared with which their grasp on the Governorship is a trifle. With both branches of the State government in their power the Tammany bosses would have been in a position to loot the State at their own sweet will. They had plotted first of all to gerrymander the State in such a way as to make it impossible for Republicans to regain possession of its government, no matter how great the Republican majority might be. Then, securely intrenched in the citadel at Albany, the Tombs triumvirate could have plundered the people unhindered. But their plans have been baffled. The Legislature is Republican on joint ballot and the Republicans are on guard to see that it is not stolen from them. There is urgent need for Republican vigilance. The Democratic tricksters will stop at nothing to gain their ends. But they are being watched, and the whole Republican party is behind the watchers.

Death of Camanche.

Camanche, the most celebrated horse in the United States cavalry service, died at Fort Riley, a few days ago. He was 25 years of age and was the only living thing belonging to the United States service which escaped the battle of the Little Big Horn, where Gen. Custer and his command were massacred. He was one of the original mount of the 7th Cavalry when the regiment was organized in 1866, and has been in almost every battle with the Indians since. After the battle of the Little Big Horn he was found covered with wounds some distance from the scene of the massacre. He was sent to Fort Riley, where for 14 years he has not been subject to a bridle and has been the special charge of the 7th cavalry. His skin will be stuffed and mounted.

REV. LUCIENT KINSOLVING in a public lecture in Baltimore declares that illiteracy is widespread in Brazil, and that its 15,000,000 people have no bibles. Mr. Kinsolving is a protestant missionary to that country.

EX. CONGRESSMAN HARRISON KELLEY who left the Republicans during the summer because the Federal Election bill failed to pass (?) and joined the Alliance seems to have fallen into the soup. He is now a man without a party.

STUART ROBSON, the actor, was married in the city hall, New York, yesterday evening, to Miss May Waldron. Both will be remembered by Decatur people. Mr. Robson's wife died about a year ago.

ONE woman, it has been discovered, voted in Chicago, and the Democratic club of the ward in which it occurred is asking the canvassing board to throw out the entire vote of the precinct.

JOSEPH R. DUNLOP, formerly editor of the Chicago *Times*, has purchased the *Mail*, and will remove it from the *Times* building to other quarters.

GOV. DAVID B. HILL determined to be ahead of the President; he has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation.

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$1.60 for the Best Cabinet Photos, at Chicago Studio, 249 North Main street. Try them. nov6-dtf

DR. REED'S foot lotion cures offensive perspiration; sold at Irwin's Pharmacy

IN this world a man wants a good balancing pole to walk the narrow path.

WHEN hope dies the devil adds another scalp to his belt.

THE barking dog never bites—at least while he is barking.

IT is easier to blame than to do better.

TROUBLE IN BRAZIL.

Pernambuco and Rio Grande do Sul Revolt,

AND A BLOODY CIVIL WAR IMMINENT.

The German Settlers in Rio Grande do Sul Organizing to Defend the Independence of Their New State—A Bloody Battle Reported.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—On account of the strict guard kept by the Brazilian government over the telegraph and cable lines, it is almost imposible to obtain reliable news as to the exact state of the country. It is now generally admitted, however, that there is no room for further doubt that the province of Rio Grande do Sul has declared its independence, and it is reported that this independent territory includes about 50,000 fighting Germans among its population, the revolution there is undoubtedly serious.

As exclusively stated in these dispatches, Monday afternoon, the report had reached here that there had been fighting in the province of Rio Grande do Sul. This report has since been confirmed. The trouble referred to is said to have its center at Port Alegre, the capital of Rio Grande do Sul, but the telegraph wires leading from the supposed scene of the fighting having been cut, some time must elapse before definite news gets even so far as Rio de Janeiro.

Merchants and others in this city interested in the finances or trade of Brazil are doing their utmost to obtain some kind of information from their agents in Brazil, but their efforts do not seem to be meeting with much success.

Late yesterday afternoon the announcement was made that at least another province—Pernambuco—had revolted against the dictation of Marshal Da Fonseca, and had declared itself independent of the government as now constituted.

By the same source it became known that at least two other provinces were on the verge of declaring their independence; and rumor also had it that the "restoration" party held sway in one of the revolted districts. This report, which comes from Bahia, may have its origin in imperialist circles; but be that how it may, the situation of affairs would seem to indicate a long and bloody civil war in the near future, the overthrow of Da Fonseca's dictatorship and the establishment in Brazil of a number of separate republics somewhat similar to those of South Africa.

LATER—There is no longer any attempt to deny that the province of Pernambuco has joined the province of Rio Grande do Sul in declaring its independence. Great excitement prevails in Rio de Janeiro and throughout Brazil. It is reported here to-night that Marshal Da Fonseca has been informed that he is suffering from a disease which must soon cause his death, and that he has announced his willingness to resign the reins of power.

The German population of Rio Grande do Sul is reported to be organizing into armed bodies of men on the plan of the Dutch settlers of South Africa, and to be determined to defend the independence of their new state.

The troops under the command of Marshal Da Fonseca, are said to have been ordered to move upon Rio Grande do Sul. This report, however, is not believed here, as it is understood that the dictator has been warned by his most trusted admirers to do everything possible to avoid bloodshed.

A still later rumor has it that there has been a conflict with serious loss of life, between the supporters of the government and the colonists, who have just declared their independence.

Apples for Sale.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of John Bolles, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of John Bolles, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 10th day of November, 1891.
RICHARD COSTELLO,
nov11-d3w Executor.

AMERICAN HORSE SHOW AND AMERICAN FAT STOCK SHOW.—On account of these shows the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Chicago on Nov. 12th, 17th and 19th at $6.45 round trip, including a ticket of admission. Good to return until Monday following date of sale. C. O. JUDSON, ticket agent. Call on T. PENIWELL, city ticket agent, 110 Library Block. nov11-dtf

FOR SALE—My entire Pension business. Failing health the only reason for desiring to sell. Will convince you of the favorable terms, when you call or write. Have had plenty of offers, but not of the right kind. O. R. SPORE, attorney, Decatur, Ill. nov11-d6*

WANTED—A reliable man to sell a first class article to the school trade in this territory. Call at the Hotel Brunswick. DAUGHERTY, 11-d6*

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$5.00 REWARD to the boy who has worn a pair of POWERS' $1.00 Solid Shoes the longest time.

The Lucky Boy will be paid $5.00 on Monday, November 16, 1891.

This contest will remain open all of this week.

All statements must be made in writing with one witness at least.

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